PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re the Application of

Fukumi MORISHIGE

Group Art Unit: 1614

Application No.: 10/518,768

Examiner:

A. HUGHES

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Docket No.: 122196

For:

PREVENTION OF AND COUNTERMEASURES AGAINST MITOCHONDRIAL DISEASE

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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